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CAN WE RAISE COTTON?

The acreage of cotton is increasing every year in this country, and is the truth all over the country where farmers are getting down to "real business" and stopped listening to those talk that never was in a cotton patch in their lives. Cotton cannot be raised successfully here now. How can it be? Your land in no state of cultivation the seed you plant not climated to the country, and no attention given the crop after it is planted. Don't they raise cotton in Dawson county, one hundred miles east of here, with about the same altitude and climate? Don't they raise cotton one hundred miles north of here, with much colder climate? "You can't raise cotton in this country." "You will hear someone say. Yes, but didn't they say the same about Oklahoma? Panhandle and northern Texas? And all western Texas? Exactly, and if you will take time to look over the statistic reports of the cotton

yield of the Government, you will find these cotton producing sections are among the leading in the South. Mr. Mabin, up about Broncho, has in twenty acres of cotton, has out two bales already, and says he believes he will make 6 off the twenty acres. There is lots of fields in the cotton countries that won't beat that. I believe there will be more cotton planted next year, and that cotton will soon be raised as a money crop in New Mexico.

The first snow of the season fell on the night of the 20th, and was followed Saturday night by a very heavy frost.

As the women have succeeded in getting the right to vote in California; Attorney General Webb declares that women must tell their real age when register to vote. Which I am afraid, will be quite a blow—to some at least.

ONE OF THE OLDEST ROADS.

The Appian Way was formed in part at least, by Appius Claudius æcus, while he was censor (313 B. C.). It is the oldest and most celebrated of all the Roman roads. It led from the Porta Capena at Rome, in a southerly direction to Capua, passing through Three Taverns, Appii Forum, Terracina, etc. Subsequently, it was carried on to Beneventum, Tarentum, and thence to Brundisium. It had an admirable substructure or foundation, from which all the loose soil had been carefully removed. Above this were various strata cemented with lime; and lastly, came the pavement, consisting of large hard hexagonal blocks of stone, composed principally of basaltic lava, and jointed together with great nicety, so to appear one smooth mass.

The remains of it are still visible especially at Terracina. The cost must have been enormous, for the natural obstructions. Rocks had to be cut through, valleys filled up, ravines bridged, and swamps embanked.

ROAD CROSSING SANDS.

Charles D. Miller Views Section of Proposed Highway Across Sands to Plains Country.

Territorial Engineer Charles D. Miller with Atkinson, chairman of the county commissioners, Tom D. White, member of the board of county commissioners, J. W. Lewis assistant territorial engineer, and V. R. Kenney county surveyor went over the sands across to the plains country, Friday viewing the undertaking which the territory has consented to build a road through.

The road will be dirt, covered with clay. J. W. Lewis, the man who supervised the building of the roads across the sands east of Carlsbad, will be here this week to stake off the road. After that propositions will be advertised and bids accepted for its construction.

—Register-Tribune.

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